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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/659,368	Applicant(s) BELANGER ET AL.	
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c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 23, proposed claims 41, 42.

Identification of prior art discussed: Timson (6,041,412).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant explained the novel features of the claimed invention. Applicant discussed a challenge and request issue with the referenced prior art. Applicant discussed proposed amendments to claims 1, 23 and proposed new claims. .

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